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Customized PTO/SB/29**CONTINUED PROSECUTION APPLICATION (CPA)  
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WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231Docket No. P07407US00/BAS  
First Named Inventor: ROBERTSON  
Examiner: Huynh  
Art Unit: 1644This is a request for a ☒ continuation application or ☐ divisional application  
under **37 CFR 1.53(d), (Continued Prosecution Application (CPA))**, of prior application:

Serial No.: 09/380,327

Filed on: 3 September 1999

Entitled: TREATMENT AND DIAGNOSIS OF INFERTILITY USING TGFβETA...

☐ Enter the **unentered amendment** previously filed on  
under 37 CFR 1.116 in the prior nonprovisional application.☒ **A Preliminary Amendment** w/Attachments A-D is enclosed.☐ This application is filed by fewer than all inventors named in the prior application,  
37 CFR 1.53(d)(4).☐ **DELETE** the following inventor(s) named in the prior nonprovisional appln:☐ A **new power** of attorney or authorization of agent (PTO/SB/81) is enclosed.☒ An Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) is enclosed.☐ **Small Entity Status:** Applicant claims small entity status.☒ An **Extension of Time** is filed concurrently herewith for the prior application.☐ Applicant requests **suspension of action** under 37 CFR 1.103(b) for a period of  
months (not to exceed 3 months) and the **fee** under 37 CFR 1.17(i) is enclosed.☒ Return Receipt Postcard is attached.☒ Other: 3 Articles; Clark Declaration; Sharkey Declaration w/Exhibits 1 and 2

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| INDEP. CLAIMS   | 1   | - 3          | 0             | X \$ 84 =                     |                  |
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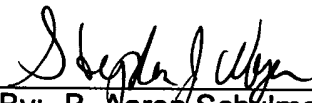
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X ..... A check in the amount of \$ 1,174.00 is enclosed. If no check or an insufficient check is enclosed and a fee is due in connection herewith, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee or additional fee due in connection herewith, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 12-0555.

X ..... In the event that a petition for extension of time is required to be submitted in the pending prior application, and in the event that a separate petition for the pending prior application is not filed on even date, applicant hereby petitions under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for an extension of time in the pending prior application of as many months as are required to render this submission timely. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee or additional fee due in connection with this communication to Deposit Account No. 120555.

Note: Please carry over the correspondence address from the prior application.

Date: 23 December 2002

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